

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-17, 20-40 and 55-73 are pending. Applicant has amended claims 14, 21, and 35 and canceled claims 18-19 and 41-54. Applicant has amended claims 21 and 35 to correct a minor typographical error

The Examiner has rejected claims 14-17, 20-22, 55, and 57-73 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by Taylor and rejected claims 1-13, 19, 23-40, and 56 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Taylor and Dermier. Applicant respectfully traverses the rejections. Nevertheless, applicant has amended claim 14 to clarify the claimed subject matter.

Applicant's technique executes a voice application based on an electronic request of a third party. Claims 1-13 and 23-40 recite "receiving an electronic mail request," claims 14-17 and 20 recite "receiving a request from the third party to provide the telephony session, wherein the request comprises an email," claims 55-61 recite "the triggering event including an electronic request," and claims 62-73 recite "receiving an HTTP request."


The Examiner recognizes that Taylor does not teach "the telephone session request comprises an email." (Office Action, March 21, 2007, p. 4, emphasis added.) To cure this deficiency, the Examiner points to Dermier at 2:40-4:14. The relied-upon portion of Dermier simply states that a SIP message can include the subject of a telephone call that is encoded according to the MIME encoding scheme of e-mail systems. (Dermier, 2:64-3:11.) Dermier does not send "a call-related message to a called person via an email" as suggested by the Examiner. (Office Action, March 21, 2007, p. 4, emphasis added.) Rather, the relied-upon portion of Dermier only describes that a SIP INVITE message is sent with a MIME encoding. A SIP INVITE message is not an electronic mail message. 9

Based upon these amendments and remarks, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application and its early allowance. If the Examiner has any

questions or believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (206) 359-8548.

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